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### **The Crisis of Confederation**

*Answer each of the following questions thoughtfully using complete sentences and in your own words. Simply copying from the text of the reading is not acceptable.*

1. What were Daniel Shay and 500 angry farmers attempting to do?
2. What caused the problem that Shay and his followers hoped to address?
3. How did the governor of Massachusetts respond to the protest?
4. What happened in January 1787?
5. What happened to those who participated with Shay when they were caught?
6. How did the Articles of Confederation hurt foreign?
7. What problems in foreign affairs resulted from the Articles of Confederation?
8. One great success of the Articles of Confederation was the Northwest Ordinance. What was required under the Northwest Ordinance for a territory to apply to become a state?
9. The Northwest Territory included what present day states?
10. How would the new states from the Northwest Territory relate to the other states.
11. In the Northwest Ordinance the United States promised to protect the rights of the Indians and not allow slavery. How did the United States do at keeping their promises?
12. What was required to make any changes to the original Articles of Confederation?
13. How many states sent delegates to the Annapolis Convention in September 1786?

14. When the Annapolis Convention failed when and where was another convention called to consider the defects to the Articles of Confederation?